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Allocation for e-Governance Project in Andhra Pradesh
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has plans to allocate resources in the form of monetary and infrastructural support to Andhra Pradesh for e-Governance project and if so, the details thereof; and

(b) whether the Government is planning to implement similar project at the Central level and if so, the details thereof;

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR FINANCE
(SHRI ARJUN RAM MEGHWAL)

(a) The Government of India is supporting the Government of Andhra Pradesh in the successful adoption of e-Governance through technical consulting and financial assistance to multiple programmes. Some of the key initiatives supported by Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY) are: State Data Centres, State Wide Area Networks, e-District Mission Mode Project, Common Services Centres, State Portal, State Service Delivery Gateway, Computerisation of Legislature, e-Prison, e-Hospital Management System with supply chain Management and e-Treasury.

(b) At Central level, the National e-Governance Plan (NeGP) was launched in 2006 with a vision to make all government services accessible to the common man in his locality, through common service delivery outlet and ensure efficiency, transparency & reliability of such services at affordable costs to realize the basic needs of the common man. Mission Mode Projects covering a wide ranges of domain, viz. agriculture, land records, health, education, passport, police, court, municipalities, commercial taxes, treasuries, etc. were initiated. Most of these projects have been made operational and have started providing services.

In order to transform the entire ecosystem of public services through the use of information technology, the Government of India has approved the 'Digital India' programme with the vision to transform India into a digitally empowered society and knowledge economy. Digital India is an Umbrella Programme that is coordinated by Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY) and is being implemented and funded by various Ministries/Departments in Government of India.